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Donna R. Searcy, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
1919 M Street N.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Dear Madam Secretary:

Submitted herewith is an original and five copies of a Proposed Rulemaking requesting the Table of FM Allotments be changed.

We are requesting that Channel 221A be deleted, and that 222C3 be allocated to Trenton, Missouri; and that we intend to upgrade Radio Station KTTN-FM to operate at the new frequency and power.

Sincerely,

Marvin Luehrs

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Owner

John A. Ausberger

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Operations Director

Before the
Federal Communications Commission
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In the matter of)
amendment of section 73.202(b)) BC Docket No.
Table of Assignments)
FM Broadcast Section)
Trenton, Missouri)

Petition for Rulemaking

COMES NOW, Marvin E. Luehrs, licensee of radio station KTTN-FM, operating on channel 221A at Trenton, Missouri, pursuant to the provisions of section 1.401(d) of the Commission's rules, (47 CFR 1.401(d)), requesting that the Table of FM assignments in Section 73.202 Federal Communications Commission's rules and regulations be amended. Marvin E. Luehrs hereby requests that the Table of FM assignments in Section 73.202 (b) be amended as follows:

Location	Present	Proposed

Trenton, Missouri	221A	222C3

There are compelling public interest justifications for granting this rulemaking, and in support thereof, the following is shown:

I. PRELIMINARY STATEMENT

A). Purpose of Request

The purpose of this request is to provide better service to the Trenton and Grundy county community. Grundy and it's surrounding counties are in a very rural part of the United States. This area has been particularly hard-hit by the economic conditions of agriculture over the past few years, thus requiring local residents to be even-more cognizant of fast breaking news events and matters affecting their lives. The petitioner is asking to provide better service to this area.

KTTN Radio has served in the public interest for many years and is interested providing a greater degree of service to it's listeners. Petitioner believes that this is consistent with the Commission's intention when it created Class C3 stations, especially it's assertions that stations currently operating Class A could upgrade without the expense involved in upgrading the higher classes. Yet, upgrading to Class C3 would serve to provide better coverage to the station's current listeners.

II. ENGINEERING CONSIDERATIONS

A). Area of Service to Be Enhanced

Petitioner's engineering exhibit, attached, provides a detailed analysis of the complete search of the FM band. That

study concludes that Channel 222C3 can be allotted to Trenton.

The Commission recently approved a Proposed Rulemaking (PRM Docket No. 89-558) to delete channel 222A from Cameron, Missouri. The deletion of that channel from Cameron would allow for the assignment of 222C3 to Trenton. Channel 222C3 could be assigned, consistent with the mileage and city-grade service requirements of the rules.

Since the Commission has ordered 222A to be deleted from Cameron, Missouri, this proposal will work, according to the specifications of the Commission.

The consideration of all factors shows that this proposal can be accommodated and that the Table of FM allotments can be amended without jeopardizing any other community or facility. No community would lose any present or potential service and a substantial area of service would be added if this proposed change is implemented.

III. PETITIONER'S INTENTION TO APPLY FOR CHANNEL 222C3

If these proposed changes are implemented by the Commission, the Petitioner intends, pursuant to the Rules of the Commission, to apply for a construction permit to modify the license of station KTTN-FM to operate on channel 222C3 with the specified power.

IV: SUMMARY

No community would lose any present or proposed service

as a result of a grant of this petition, and a substantial new area of service would be added. As indicated above, a grant of this petition would provide enhanced service to the Trenton and Grundy county, Missouri areas.

This petition would, if granted, provide the efficient utilization of broadcast resources.

THEREFORE, in view of the foregoing facts, Petitioner requests that the Table of Allotments, (Section 73.202), be amended to assign FM Channel 222C3 to Trenton, Missouri.

Respectfully submitted,


Marvin E. Luehrs

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Dated: May 15, 1992

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FM Spacing study

Title: Trenton
Channel 222C3 (92.3 MHz)
Database: DW 04/28/92

Latitude: 40-05-00
Longitude: 93-33-30
Safety zone: 28.0 mi

Call	Auth	Licensee name	Chan	ERP-kW	Latitude	Br-to	Dist.	Req.
City of License	St	FCC File no.	Freq	EAH-ft	Longitude	-from	(mi)	(mi)
KNOS	LIC	MISSOURI VALLEY COLLEGE	*219D	.01	39-06-24	163.7	70.16	
MARSHALL	MO		91.7		93-11-30	344.0		
TO CHANNEL *226D								
KWJC	LIC	WILLIAM JEWELL COLLEGE	*220A	.18	39-14-52	218.5	73.48	26.10
LIBERTY	MO	BLED-810824AA	91.9	165	94-24-47	37.9	47.39	CLEAR
Was KWPB 01/01/85								
KTTN-FM	LIC	LUEHRS BROADCASTING COMP	221A	2.10	40-05-00	.0		55.30
TRENTON	MO	BLH-881209KC	92.1	374	93-33-30	.0	-55.3	SHORT
Affiliated with KTTN(AM)								
KDEE	CP	CAMERON RADIO INCORPORAT	222A	3	39-48-11	241.6	40.50	88.23
CAMERON	MO	BMPH-900629IA	92.3	328	94-13-42	61.2	-47.7	SHORT
Deletion proposed; CP Granted 09/28/90 per FCC release #20962 dated 10/03/90;								
ORDERED TO 261C2; Call Granted 03/23/89								
KGSP	CP	BD OF TRUSTEES OF PARK C	*222D	0	39-11-24	224.4	85.91	
PARKVILLE	MO	BPED-840803IJ	92.3	59	94-40-49	43.7		
CP Granted 08/23/85; FROM *212D								
KVUQ	CP	JAMES D & MARIANNE S HAR	222A	3	38-53-16	218.9	105.5	88.23
OLATHE	KS	BPH-880421NH	92.3	289	94-47-22	38.1	17.28	CLEAR
Amended 01/30/92; Hearing DOC-90-256, adopted 05/02/90, released 06/05/90;								
Call Granted 04/23/92 per FCC release #181 dated 04/24/92								
KEZO-FM	LIC	NARRAGANSETT BCG ASSOC O	222C	100	41-18-40	304.1	154.9	147.3
OMAHA	NE	BLH-780724AH	92.3	1210BT	96-01-37	122.5	7.609	CLOSE
Was KEZO 07/01/87; Affiliated with KEZO(AM)								
KAYX	LIC	LAURA L HENDEE	223A	2.35	39-11-14	193.4	63.55	55.30
RICHMOND	MO	BLH-900806KC	92.5	535	93-50-03	13.2	8.247	CLOSE
License Granted 05/13/91 per FCC release #21116 dated 05/17/91;								
Call Granted 10/18/88								
KTDI	CP	CONTEMPORARY BROADCASTIN	223A	6	39-23-57	128.0	76.23	55.30
HUNTSVILLE	MO	BPH-890719MC	92.5	328	92-26-04	308.7	20.93	CLEAR
Deletion proposed; CP Granted 03/06/90 per FCC release #20814 dated 03/21/90;								
ORDERED TO 278C2; Call Granted 05/03/90 per FCC release #133 dated 05/04/90								
KNBU	LIC	BAKER UNIVERSITY	*223D	0	38-46-45	224.5	125.3	
BALTIMORE	KS	BLED-830705AH	92.5	121	95-11-15	43.5		
TO *209A								
KSJQ	CP	SAVANNAH RADIO LIMITED P	224C2	50	39-58-34	264.8	75.61	34.80
SAVANNAH	MO	BPH-900118MM	92.7	492	94-58-37	83.9	40.81	CLEAR
CP Granted 04/04/91 per FCC release #21091 dated 04/11/91;								
Application for License () accepted per FCC release #15113 dated 10/25/ 1;								
Was KXGY 08/05/91 per FCC release #164 dated 08/09/91; Ant: Harris FML-10C								

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KGRC	CP	PORTSMOUTH BROADCASTING	225C1	49	39-54-00	97.0	96.42	47.22
HANNIBAL	MO	BPH-890202IC	92.9	1312BT	91-45-26	278.1	49.19	CLEAR
CP Granted 12/20/91 per FCC release #21285 dated 12/27/91								

KMMO-FM LIC	MISSOURI	VALLEY BROADCASTING	275C1	56	39-08-11	164.6	67.73	14.91
MARSHALL	MO		102.9	380	93-13-24	344.9	52.82	CLEAR
Was KMFL-FM 12/01/84; Affiliated with KMMO(AM)								

RM		RULE MAKING PETITION	276B		40-12-00	85.3	115.2	10.56
HAMILTON	IL	DOC-90-511	103.1		91-23-20	266.7	104.6	CLEAR
Released 02/07/91; DOC-90-511; COUNTERPROPOSAL TO DOC-90-511								

>> End of channel 222C3 study <<